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Soviets Fire 7th Nuclear Blast; Arctic Test is 'Several Megatons'

Test Ban Talks Put Off

WASHINGTON.—The Soviet Union conducted another nuclear test in the atmosphere, the seventh of its latest series begun September 1, early yesterday, the Atomic Energy Commission announced here.

The Commission said the yield was of the order of several megatons — the equivalent of several million tons of TNT.

The test was conducted in the Arctic region in the vicinity of Novaya Zemlya, where the fifth and sixth blasts were set off Sunday night.

In announcing the fifth explosion Saturday the A.E.C. said it was the biggest nuclear device tested so far, also "of the order of several megatons."

The sixth explosion marked the first time in this series that Russia exploded two devices on the same day.

Earlier Sunday it was announced in Moscow that Russia is to test multi-stage rockets in the Pacific from next Wednesday until October 15.

In Geneva the indefinite adjournment on Saturday of the talks between the U.S., Britain and Russia on a nuclear weapons test ban has brought to a temporary end one of the most protracted and complex East-West negotiations since 1945.

Japan yesterday lodged a verbal protest against the planned tests in the Pacific Ocean.

Tshombe Asks Dag To Visit Katanga

ELISABETHVILLE (Reuter). — The Katanga leader, Mr. Moise Tshombe, said here yesterday he had invited Mr. Dag Hammarskjold, U.N. Secretary-General, to come immediately to Katanga.

He said he would not go to Leopoldville to meet Prime Minister Cyrille Adoula, but would be willing to meet him anywhere else.

Mr. Tshombe denied having received an invitation from the U.N. to meet Mr. Hammarskjold in Leopoldville. The Secretary-General flew from New York last night to visit the Congo at the invitation of Premier Adoula.

In a prepared statement, Mr. Tshombe said the Katanga Government invited Mr. Hammarskjold to Elisabethville "as we cannot believe that he will refuse to come or that he will condemn us without giving us a hearing."

Mr. Tshombe said that in the 14 months Katanga had existed he had tried to open negotiations with the Central Government at least a dozen times.

"If the Adoula Government tries to destroy the present Katanga Government by force it will cause a civil war," he added.

If the U.N. tried to neutralize the gendarmerie and seize Katanga strategic centres like the press and radio, "We will oppose this by force."

In London, the Foreign Office announced that Lord Lansdowne, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, will leave London tomorrow on a fact-finding mission in the Congo. He will fly to Leopoldville to meet members of the Central Government, and hopes also to visit other parts of the Congo, including Katanga, a spokesman said.

JFK Greets 'Belgrade' Envoys

WASHINGTON.—President Kennedy gave a personal airport welcome to President Sukarno of Indonesia and President Modibo Keita of Mali on their arrival here yesterday with a plea for East-West peace talks.

They arrived a few minutes after the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission announced the Soviet Union's seventh nuclear test had been exploded.

Dr. Sukarno told Mr. Kennedy he hopes that an appeal he is making for a new summit conference with Premier Khrushchev "will bear fruit to save the world from calamity."

President Keita, speaking in French, also emphasized the need for the big powers to join together in seeking a peaceful solution to the world's problems.

Mr. Kennedy said the U.S. Government and people realize that Presidents have come here on a long journey, to help advance the cause of peace.

After the half-hour airport proceedings, Mr. Kennedy escorted his guests to a waiting helicopter. The three Presidents were to meet again later in the day.

Earlier yesterday, the U.S. Government warned Russia again against any unilateral cancellation of the four-power status of Berlin.

The State Department spokesman, Mr. Joseph Reap, said, "We continue to hold the Soviets responsible for any actions taken by the Communist East German authorities which violate the quadripartite status of Berlin, or which result in a further increase in tension in a situation already made tense by the arbitrary actions of the Soviet Government designed to split Berlin."

Mr. Reap was replying to questions on a note sent by the Soviet Ambassador to West Germany, Mr. Mikhail Pervukhin, to the three Western allies stating that all foreign citizens who wished to enter East Germany or East Berlin would have to make arrangements with the East German Government.

Practical Talks

On Monday, the State Department responded to Mr. Khrushchev's suggestion of "businesslike" East-West talks by saying it wanted "meaningful negotiations."

Mr. Reap was responding at a press conference to questions about the Soviet Prime Minister's remarks on East-West talks at Stalingrad the previous day, in which Mr. Khrushchev talked about "an encouraging glimmer of hope" for negotiations.

In London, Mr. Macmillan held a last-minute meeting with the Foreign Secretary, the Earl of Home, who flies to Washington today for the Western Foreign Ministers' meeting.

There were renewed press reports in London last night that Mr. Macmillan and Lord Home were discussing the possibility of a new "summit" meeting with Mr. Khrushchev.

The British Royal Air Force Bomber, Fighter and Coastal Command yesterday began three-day exercises over North and North-Western Europe. *(Reuter, AP)*

Russell Jailed for A-Protest

LONDON (AP). — Earl (Bertrand) Russell, 89-year-old British philosopher, was sentenced yesterday to seven days in jail for declining to abandon his civil disobedience campaign against nuclear weapons.

A Magistrate had sentenced him to two months at the end of a hearing in Bow Street but this was reduced to a week when he was shown a medical report indicating that this would be too much of a hardship for the elderly peer.

Cries of "shame," "fascists" and "poor old man" rang through the court as Magistrate Bertram Reece told Earl Russell he would have to go to prison. Twenty-seven of Lord Russell's fellow campaigners were sentenced to a month each and three others to two months. Another five were released on promising to keep the peace.

Earl Russell, his wife and 35 other members of an anti-nuclear organization called the Committee of 100, were charged at Bow Street with "inciting members of the public to commit a breach of the peace next Sunday." They had planned a mass sit-down protest against nuclear weapons in Parliament Square on that day.

Police said the organizers intended to swamp the centre of Westminster with 10,000 demonstrators in an act of "mass resistance to the law."

Given his choice of abandoning this plan or going to jail, Lord Russell read a statement saying in part: "We who are here accused are prepared to suffer imprisonment because we believe that this is the most effective way of working for the salvation of our country and the world.

"If you condemn us you will be helping our cause and therefore helping humanity. While life remains to us we will not cease to do what lies in our power to avert the greatest calamity that has ever threatened mankind."

Lord Russell spent six months in prison during World War I for publicly denouncing conscription.

Among those sentenced to a month were Arnold Wesker, the Anglo-Jewish writer whose play "The Kitchen" is now running in London, and the Rev. Michael Scott, a prominent opponent of South Africa's apartheid policy.

The Home Office explained that elderly persons in frail physical condition frequently are permitted to serve their time in prison hospitals. Prison physicians and wardens decide such matters.

EARL RUSSELL

PCC Envoy Due Today

POST Diplomatic Reporter

Dr. Joseph Johnson, special envoy of the UN Palestine Conciliation Commission, is due this afternoon via Mandelbaum Gate for a visit to Israel of two or three days, the Foreign Ministry spokesman said in Jerusalem last night.

According to the proposed itinerary, Dr. Johnson will meet with the Foreign Minister, Mrs. Golda Meir, in Tel Aviv, tomorrow, following a tour of the Lachish area and Jerusalem. The same evening he will be the dinner guest of Dr. Haim Yahil, Director-General of the Foreign Ministry.

On Friday, Dr. Johnson is due to be received by President Ben-Zvi, after which he will be the guest at a luncheon given by Mrs. Meir. It is not yet known whether Dr. Johnson will call on the Prime Minister.

Dr. Johnson is coming from Cairo, via Gaza.

Before leaving the Egyptian capital yesterday, he said, according to Reuter, that his talks with UAR officials yesterday and on Monday had been "friendly and frank." Previously he had been in Beirut and Amman.

The Jordan daily "El Jihad" commented on Sunday: "Johnson left Jordan carrying with him failure and disappointment. Instead of coming here as a man looking for facts and probing the situation, he came as a judge and as a schemer... His masters in New York knew before sending him to the Middle East that his mission would be a failure."

Bonn Keeps on 6,000 Enlisted Soldiers

BONN, (Reuter).—The West German Government is to retain for three months about 6,000 enlisted soldiers whose service time expires between September 30 and December 31, an official announcement said yesterday.

In addition, the government has asked the Defence Ministry to warn 30,000 conscripts due to be released at the end of September that they may be asked to take part in an immediate reserve exercise to keep them in the forces a further three months.

Mrs. Meir to UN On Sunday

The Foreign Minister, Mrs. Golda Meir, is to leave for New York on Sunday to attend the UN General Assembly session which opens next Tuesday.

Accompanying Mrs. Meir will be Mr. Gideon Rafael, Assistant Director-General of the Foreign Ministry; Dr. Shabtai Rosenne, the Ministry's legal advisor, and Mr. Gershon Avner, Director of its U.S. Division.

AFTER MIDNIGHT

Conversations are in progress between France and Tunisia to restore normal operating conditions around the French naval base at Bizerta, a French Foreign Ministry spokesman said last night.

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Unofficial reports last night said 95 persons, including 35 women and 30 children, lost their lives in a boat disaster on the swollen Narmada River in Gujarat State, India. The boat was carrying 150 evacuees from the flood-destroyed village of Gopali.

Herut, Aguda In Six-Party 'Minority Bloc'

POST Political Reporter

TEL AVIV. — A six-party bloc of minority groups without the Communists but for the first time including Herut, has been formed to draft special legislation in connection with the constitutional position that has arisen following the Knesset elections.

The bloc commands the 67 votes of Herut, the Liberals, Mapam, Ahdut Ha'avoda, the National Religious Party and Agudat Yisrael. The only party approached which declined to join the group is Poalei Agudat Yisrael with two votes in the Knesset, which has apparently decided to remain neutral.

The "Six" will meet today to consider legislation aimed at limiting to between two weeks and a month the time a Premier-designate may take to form a government.

They will also consider a joint draft which would give the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Security Committee the right to call witnesses to testify before it without first obtaining the relevant Minister's permission.

The expansion of the "Four" to "Six" was sparked by Herut's statement that it would not automatically support the "Four" — from which Herut as well as Agudat Yisrael were then excluded — in every move intended to limit Mapai's power.

Following this declaration, Development Minister Mordechai Bentov of Mapam was delegated to seek the inclusion of these two parties in the bloc. He met Herut representatives Thursday, and by Friday obtained the consent both of Herut and Agudat Yisrael.

Eshkol May Try To Form Cabinet

POST Political Correspondent

The Mapai Secretariat is expected today to decide to advise the President to call on Mr. Levi Eshkol to form a new Government which would be headed by Mr. Ben-Gurion.

A Mapai delegation is likely to see the President this afternoon after the Secretariat's meeting in Tel Aviv which will discuss the situation following Mr. Ben-Gurion's refusal to tackle the formation of a Government "under existing circumstances."

Once the President has charged Mr. Eshkol with the formation of a Cabinet, Mr. Eshkol will conduct joint negotiations with the three parties—Mapam, Ahdut Ha'avoda and the Liberals, who have refused to join a narrow coalition—as well as with the National Religious Party.

Future coalition talks are to be based on the conditions formulated last Friday by the Mapai negotiations committee, which includes Mr. Ben-Gurion. The conditions deal mainly with insuring collective coalition responsibility.

The four-party bloc is likely to agree to the speedy passage of a coalition responsibility law (such as the bill which passed its first reading in the Fourth Knesset.) However, difficulties are expected to arise over the four-party demand for parliamentary control of the Defence Establishment, and over the distribution of Cabinet portfolios, particularly with regard to the Liberals.

Meanwhile, Mapam spokesmen stressed that they definitely wanted to join a Government with Mapai and that the joint talks of the four-party bloc with Herut were concerned only with legislative measures to assure "democratic government." They added that under present circumstances a broad five-party coalition would form the best basis for a Government, and they would not oppose Mr. Ben-Gurion heading it.

C'wealth Treasurers Mull Over UK Entry into Common Market

ACCRA (Reuter).—The Canadian Finance Minister, Mr. Donald Fleming, told the 13-nation Commonwealth Finance Ministers' Conference which opened here yesterday that Britain's decision to negotiate for Common Market membership would cause "disappointment and grave apprehension" in many countries.

His speech highlighted the Common Market controversy which had been brought out at the beginning of the conference by Mr. Harold Holt, Australian Finance Minister, and is likely to dominate the three-day discussions. Mr. Holt had said his country was concerned at the possible weakening effect on Commonwealth relations and welcomed British reassurances on this.

The colourful assembly of delegates represents some 600 million British Commonwealth citizens, and is the first of its kind in Africa.

Mr. Selwyn Lloyd, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, said: "In this very troubled time in the history of the world, we here who represent nations from every continent and every variety of political association must realize we have a very special responsibility towards the stability and peace of the world."

Mr. Lloyd proposed Mr. Ferdinand Goka, Ghana Finance Minister, as chairman for the conference and he was elected without opposition.

President Nkrumah of Ghana sent a message saying, "The people of Ghana believe the Commonwealth is a potent force for good and are prepared to play their part to keep alive the ideals upon which this unique club of nations is founded."

Two Moslems Killed in Oran After Monday's Attack on Jews

French Socialists Seek To Censure Debre Cabinet

PARIS (Reuter).—The Speaker of the National Assembly, M. Jacques Chaban-Delmas, announced yesterday that he was asking the Constitutional Council to decide whether Parliament has a right to pass a vote of censure on the Government during a special session. The Council must reply within eight days.

The Socialist group in the Assembly announced earlier in the day that they would move a vote of censure on M. Michel Debré's Government. They accused it of systematically obstructing the legislative work of Parliament and thus preventing it from taking necessary measures to meet the complaints of the farmers.

Under the existing constitution, Parliament meets twice a year for legislative purposes. Now, however, it is meeting under special circumstances.

President de Gaulle assumed exceptional powers under Article 16 of the Constitution after the army revolt in Algiers last April. While the Government is exercising these powers, Parliament remains in session even outside the normal sessions. The question at issue between the Government and the Opposition is whether Parliament can exercise its normal powers during such a special session.

The attempt on General de Gaulle's life last Friday took all the sting out of yesterday's meeting of the Assembly.

This was to have been a full-dress attack on the Government over its agricultural policy and its alleged refusal to give proper weight to the Members of the National Assembly in the political life of the country.

But it was obvious as soon as the Assembly met that there was no fight left in it. The attempted assassination has shocked the country and scared professional politicians who were flirting with the idea of producing a Cabinet crisis for the first time in three years.

The man who organized the assassination attempt has been identified and is in flight, official sources said on Tuesday night. He is an insurance agent named Henri Manoury. Police believe he is still in the country, the sources said.

Martial de Vilmanday, the man arrested on the spot after Friday's attempt, told investigators that Manoury was the leader of the OAS commando assigned to kill the President, the sources said.

OAS 'Decapitated'

Meanwhile, French authorities are reasonably confident they have "decapitated" the OAS (Secret Army Organization) in France with the arrest of about a dozen persons including two generals and a colonel.

Reports from Algeria spoke of sudden swoops by special commando squads of counter-espionage men and mobile gendarmes, some operating in helicopters, in the hunt of the ex-colonels and European "activists" running the OAS.

French newspapers reported yesterday that if last Friday's bid to kill President de Gaulle had succeeded, the OAC would have attempted a putsch this Friday.

BEN-ZVI MESSAGE

President Ben-Zvi on Sunday cabled his and the country's congratulations to President de Gaulle on his escape from the attempt on his life last Friday.

TWO DAYS OF RIOTING

By MAURICE CARR, Jerusalem Post Correspondent

PARIS. — Rioting between Jews and Moslems marred both days of Rosh Hashana in Oran. They were sparked off by an F.L.N. terrorist who Monday morning stabbed in the back a young Jew, Henri Schroun, who was strolling in the Jewish quarter of the town with a baby on one arm and leading his four-year-old daughter with the other hand. He was seriously injured.

The assailant, who was seen to plunge his dagger again and again into the victim's back, was chased by passers-by into a shop where he was lynched.

Some 2,000 of the city's 7,000 Jews then ran amok while a Moslem mob armed with pistols, knives, and crowbars gathered for a would-be pogrom.

Fighting between Moslems and Jews flared up in Oran again yesterday and a Moslem was stabbed to death in one clash.

The trouble was revived when a band of Moslems wrecked an apartment occupied by a Jewish family, police said. Shortly afterwards, bands of Jews attacked and set fire to five Moslem shops and fighting broke out.

A group of Moslems threw up a makeshift barricade in a street and while gendarmes charged to disperse them, one of the Moslems was stabbed to death by a Jew. Shots were also exchanged.

In the Algiers working-class suburb of Bab-el-Oued, yesterday, European youths shouldering the coffin of an assassinated comrade to the cemetery crashed through police lines and ravaged a Moslem neighbourhood leaving seven dead and nearly a score wounded, AP reports.

The youngsters shouted "Keep Algeria French" and "De Gaulle to the Gallows."

When word spread through the mob that a second youth had just been killed, they split up into small groups which surged through the neighbourhood beating Moslems and smashing and setting fire to Moslem shops.

AP also reports that a battle between Moslems and Jews at Bone left two Moslems dead and 10 persons wounded, including six Europeans. Seventy-nine persons were arrested.

The Rosh Hashana riots were the first major disturbances between Oran's Jewish and Moslem communities, whose relations were formerly peaceful, even friendly.

The new prospect of "disengagement" raised by General de Gaulle at his last press conference — that is, the evacuation of Europeans while Moslems are to be left in full possession of Algeria — implying total defeat for one side and total victory for the other, is liable to provoke an unprecedented explosion of racial hatreds which neither the French Army nor police may be able to contain.

That is undoubtedly the major peril in Algeria which the "Algerie Francaise" plotters are seeking to exploit to their own fascist ends undeterred by their setback following the abortive attempt on Gen. de Gaulle's life. General Salan's Secret Army Organization is designed as a detonator for the racialist bomb. Many observers here feel not enough attention has been given to the actual "bomb" while the "detonator" is being dismantled.

Visiting the Prime Minister **at his holiday cottage on Monday were (left to right): Mr. George Harrison, President of the Railway Brotherhoods and Vice-President for International Relations of the AFL-CIO; Mr. George Meany, President of the AFL-CIO; and Histadrut Secretary-General Aharon Becker. (Story on Page Three).** (Photo by Yaron)

Half-Million Flee Rsging Hurricane in Texas, 16 Die

GALVESTON, Texas (Reuter). — At least six persons were killed and 50 to 60 injured here yesterday when a tornado whirled in from the Gulf of Mexico in the wake of the devastating hurricane Carla.

Another tornado struck near Jonesboro, Louisiana, killing at least five persons. An undetermined number of persons were missing. Gas mains were ruptured and 25 homes demolished. These tornado deaths brought the toll of the hurricane to at least 16 persons.

The hurricane itself, weakening in power but still causing damage and the threat of floods, continued to move inland at 20 to 25 kilometres an hour, with winds reaching 80 to 125 k.p.h.

An estimated half-million persons fled inland as the hurricane bore down on the coast over the week-end. Officials warned evacuees from Southeast Texas and West Louisiana not to return to their homes as in many places there was no electricity, drinking water or sewage disposal, and rushing streams threatened floods.

Dyke Punctured

In Port Arthur, Texas, the Civil Defence said that the flood-restraining wall had broken at Taylor Bayou and that 50 to 60 homes were in the path of the water seeping slowly through the breaks.

None of the injured were reported seriously hurt. Most had cuts caused by shattered glass. Some of them were among 1,200 persons sheltering from the storm in the courthouse which was struck a glancing blow by the tornado. One woman in the crowded courthouse died of a heart attack.

The Roman Catholic cathedral and a nearby school suffered extensive damage as the tornado knifed through the centre of the resort. Most of the city was still under water.

The weather bureau said Carla was weakening slowly and its calm "eye" becoming

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100 Killed By Formosa Storm

TAIPEH. — A typhoon tearing across Northern Formosa yesterday killed 100 persons, while 31 are missing and 913 injured.

Winds up to 200 k.p.h. destroyed 1,254 houses.

Worst hit was the town of Yilan, on the northeast coast.

In Taipeh, where there was one known death, thousands of people were marooned by floodwaters. Police said 2,000 had been rescued and moved to higher ground, but by last night 10,000 were still cut off by swirling, muddy water.

The typhoon, code-named Pamela, littered the streets with tree branches, glass and debris.

In Hong Kong, communications officials said the typhoon severed almost all contact with Formosa. Only the radio-telephone link withstood the force of the storm. The Hong Kong Weather Bureau said the typhoon was moving toward Foochow, on the Chinese mainland. *(AP, Reuter)*

'State of Calamity' In Philippines

MANILA (Reuter). — President Carlos Garcia yesterday declared a state of national calamity to cope with a crisis caused by shortage of rice in the Philippines.

The declaration paved the way for seizure of rice stocks hoarded by traders. Hoarding, profiteering and disastrous floods last year were said to have caused the shortage.

NORWAY LABOUR LOSES OVERALL MAJORITY

OSLO (Reuter). — Norway's ruling Labour Party has lost its overall parliamentary majority.

The latest count of votes in Monday's general election showed it had lost four seats, bringing its parliamentary representation down from 78 to 74 in the 150-seat Storting (Parliament).

Prime Minister Einar Gerhardsen, who said before the election that he would resign if he lost the overall majority, refused to make any statement until vote-counting is complete.

Confusion has been caused among political observers here by the results in which two seats unexpectedly went to the new "rebel" extreme left-wing Socialist People's Party.

The non-socialist opposition parties cannot muster a parliamentary majority, holding together 74 seats.

The two "rebel" Socialists could thus appear to hold the balance of power by their ability to swing the vote at crucial divisions.

The latest figures available for the distribution of seats in the new Parliament, were as follows:

Labour 74 (formerly 78); Conservatives 29 (29); Christian People's Party 15 (12); Centre Party 16 (15); Liberals 14 (15); Socialist People's Party 2 (new party); Communists nil (1).

The lone Communist M.P., Mr. Gottfred Hoelvold, blamed the latest Soviet nuclear tests—one of which took place less than 650 miles from the Norwegian coastline—for his defeat. He said he had been "bombed out of the Storting by Mr. Khrushchev."

Saud Reshuffles Cabinet

DAMASCUS (AP). — King Saud of Saudi Arabia on Monday reshuffled his cabinet in an apparent move to patch up his differences with his brother and former Premier, Crown Prince Faisal.

Mecca Radio announced a royal order from the King appointing his nephew Prince Faisal Minister of the Interior and dismissing his brother, Prince Talal from his post as Minister of Finance and Economy.

Talal has been one of the major causes of friction between Saud and Faisal, who was dismissed by the king from the premiership last year.

Brazzaville Group Sign Union Pact

TANANARIVE, Malagasy Republic (AP). — The 12-nations of the Brazzaville group, former French territories which last week adopted a mutual defence agreement, have signed a charter for an African-Malagasy union.

The aim of the charter is "to unify foreign policy, to assure collective security, to aid mutual development and to maintain peace in Africa, Malagasy and the world."

The group also decided to share diplomatic representation in certain countries as an economy measure.

Boat with Two Aboard Blown to Lebanon

ACRE. — Two members of Kibbutz Rosh Hanikra are believed to have been washed ashore in the Lebanon on Monday, Israel has informed the Israel-Lebanese M.A.C.

The two are Moshe Tarsi, 26 and Avraham Nelkies, 20.

On Monday morning, two light sail boats belonging to the kibbutz set out for a cruise. After about an hour, at 10 a.m., a strong wind started blowing the boats north towards the Lebanese coast. One of the crews managed to tack back to the shore before crossing the border, but the second was too far out. One of the three young men aboard jumped into the sea. Tarsi and Nelkies stayed with the boat.

SUDANESE TROOPS ON WAY TO KUWAIT

KHARTOUM (Reuter). — Sudanese troops left here by air yesterday to join the Arab League force replacing British units in Kuwait. No official figures about the size of the contingent were released.

A League spokesman announced in Cairo yesterday that military and technical experts supplied by the UAR to the force will leave for Kuwait tomorrow. They will be responsible for technical administration of the force, including its communications system.

Saudi Arabian troops arrived in Kuwait earlier this week as the first contingent of the Arab force. Troops from Jordan and Morocco are expected to arrive soon.

4 Dead in New Burst Of Dominican Violence

CIUDAD TRUJILLO (AP) — Four persons were killed and scores were wounded by gunfire yesterday in a new outbreak of political violence in the Dominican Republic.

We announce with deep regret the untimely death of our colleague and friend

Dr Aharon Shamgar

Who passed away on Sunday, Sept. 10, 1961.

The Israel Institute for Biological Research, Ness Ziona

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GOING IN Jercoli JERSEY SUITS AND DRESSES
in good fashion shops, Madam...

Social & Personal

President and Mrs. Ben-Zvi on Sunday received the Jerusalem District Representative, Mr. S.B. Yeshaya, and Prof. and Mrs. Cecil Roth.

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Members of the Skal Club, Mt. Carmel, were guests of the Club Mediterrannée at Ahziv last week. In appreciation, the Skal Club made a donation of IL100 to Ilanshil-Polio.

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Mr. Amos Handel, Director of the Haifa Municipal Psychotechnic Station, will address the Haifa Rotary Club on "Vocational Guidance" at the Appinger Hotel, 1 p.m. today. Rotarian S. Scharf will speak on "Development of Tourism in the Jet Age" before the Jerusalem Rotary Club, today at 1.15 p.m., the Y.M.C.A.

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The cornerstone of the Moshe Hameiri (Tikuchinsky) dormitory of World Mizrahi's Kerem Beyavne *yeshiva* near Kibbutz Yavne will be laid tomorrow at 4 p.m.

Anglo-Jewish Writers Urge Equality in Russia

LONDON (Reuter). — Ten Jewish writers here said yesterday they had appealed to the Union of Soviet Writers to urge equal cultural rights for Jews in Russia. Their letter also criticized anti-Jewish propaganda appearing in the Soviet press and asked the Soviet authorities to permit the emigration of Jews wishing to join their families abroad.

Among the writers are Wolf Mankowitz, Bernard Kops, Emanuel Litvinoff, Frederick Raphael, Dannie Abse and Gerda Charles.

Art Treasures Stolen From L.A. Mansion

LOS ANGELES (Reuter). — Federal Bureau of Investigation agents were yesterday hunting the thief who stole $670,000 worth of art treasures near here on Sunday.

The paintings were stolen from the Beverly Hills mansion of millionaire industrialist David Bright.

He took two Picassos, a Modigliani, and an abstract by Afro Basoldella. He missed one valuable picture, "The Bather," by Degas, a pastel valued by Mr. Bright at $125,000.

Tito: Belgrade Decisions To Bind Conferees at U.N.

ROME.—President Tito of Yugoslavia said yesterday in an interview that the 25 countries which attended the recent Belgrade Conference of non-aligned states had created not another bloc but "a collective force which is going to act through the U.N." bound by conference decisions.

He told the Italian Communist Party newspaper "Unita," "I am certain that in future there will be another 25 countries and more."

However, at U.N. headquarters in New York it is now certain that delegates from countries closely aligned with, or sympathetic to, Washington and London again will dominate the steering committee of the General Assembly at the new session opening on September 19.

The 21-member committee, composed of the President, Vice-Presidents and Assembly committee chairmen recommends which items the world forum should include in its agenda.

Apart from the Soviet Union itself, only two Soviet-bloc representatives were in line for principal offices in the Assembly after weeks of intensive consultations among governments. These two are a Czech as chairman of the Special Political Committee, and a Albanian as candidate for a Vice-Presidency.

The powerful Asian-African group, largest regional grouping in the world organization, is expected to fill six offices, including the Presidency and three Vice-Presidencies.

This is how the lineup looks today, with most of the prospects apparently certain of election:

President of the Assembly: M. Mongi Slim (Tunisia). Vice-Presidents: The "Big Four" powers and China (automatic choices), the Netherlands, Greece, Ghana, Niger, Cyprus, Mexico, Costa Rica, Albania (or another East European state).

On Monday a U.S. State Department spokesman announced that Secretary of State Dean Rusk plans to attend the General Assembly session. *(Reuter, AP)*

Diefenbaker Urges UN Role for Berlin

OTTAWA. — Prime Minister John Diefenbaker said on Monday the time has come for the U.N. to consider the "internationalizing" of Berlin under the United Nations.

In a Commons foreign policy speech, the Prime Minister also suggested that Berlin's status be assured by a U.N. presence there.

Mr. Diefenbaker said this proposal would not receive the support of Premier Khrushchev, but it would at least bring about a step forward — if Big Four negotiations fail — to which the U.N. could give its attention.

Touching on the renewal of nuclear explosions and testing by Russia, Mr. Diefenbaker asked, "Is he (Khrushchev) about to announce the production of an anti-missile missile?"

The Prime Minister did not enlarge on this reference.

He also said the U.S. had announced renewal of nuclear testing too soon after the Russian decision. After refraining from tests for three years, the U.S. would have stood higher in world opinion by holding off for a longer time.

Mr. Dirk Stikker, the Nato Secretary-General, told a press conference here yesterday that the "alternative to complete surrender" to the Communists was "not nuclear war but negotiation."

Mr. Stikker, who is here for talks on a wide range of topics with Mr. Diefenbaker, said Berlin could and would be defended if the current crisis reaches the point of war. But, he added, he did not think Mr. Khrushchev was "foolish enough to increase the tensions to the point of war."

83 Die in Plane Crash at Shannon

NEW YORK (AP). — All 83 passengers and crewmen aboard died when a President Airlines plane, on a transatlantic flight from Dusseldorf to the U.S. crashed into a river shortly after taking off from the international airport at Shannon, Ireland Saturday night.

The passengers were mainly Germans, Austrians and Swiss.

The cause of the crash has not been determined as yet.

Peking Charges Japan Has Aims on Formosa

HONG KONG, (AP). — Communist China has bluntly charged Japan is plotting to "swallow up" Taiwan (Formosa).

Hong Kong's Chinese Communist newspapers yesterday front-paged an editorial of the September 9 issue of the Peking "People's Daily" violently attacking the Ikeda Government.

"An aggression against Taiwan will be considered as an aggression against China," the editorial said.

The blast was the most violent Chinese Communist attack against the Japanese Government since Mr. Ikeda came to power last year.

The Peking daily said the Japanese Government has mapped out a three-step programme to take over the island.

The first step, the paper said, is to create two Chinas and the second step is to "wreck the Chiang Kai-Shek regime in order to make Taiwan an independent country."

The final step, according to the editorial, "is to swallow up Taiwan by including it in the North-East Asia anti-Communist bloc."

DEATH. — Leo Carrillo, who started as an actor by accident and became a veteran Hollywood star, died at his ranch in Santa Monica, California, aged 81.

Welensky Calls UNIP 'Monster'

SALISBURY, Southern Rhodesia. — Sir Roy Welensky, Prime Minister of the Central African Federation of the Rhodesias and Nyasaland, Monday night condemned Northern Rhodesia's United National Independence Party (UNIP), as a "vicious monster."

Addressing the Federal Parliament, Sir Roy assailed Mr. Kenneth Kaunda, leader of the African nationalist party.

He blamed UNIP extremists for the continuing revolt in Northern Rhodesia's northern provinces which has produced a growing trail of arson and sabotage there.

The number of Africans arrested in Northern Rhodesia mounted to more than 2,000 over the week-end as security forces combed villages in the Northern Province for suspected rebels.

The Northern Rhodesian border with the Katanga Province of Congo was closed to Africans during the week-end. The Government announced that it was allowing in white refugees from Katanga but feared that an overflow of Africans would create tribal troubles.

In London, the Opposition Labour Party decided yesterday it could not support the Government's present plans for Northern Rhodesia. *(AP, Reuter)*

£50 Fine for Assault On JFK's Envoy

LUSAKA, Northern Rhodesia (Reuter). — Stuart Finlay-Bissett, a European, yesterday paid a £50 fine for assaulting Mr. G. Mennen Williams, U.S. Assistant Secretary of State for African affairs, at Lusaka airport on August 28.

Mr. Williams, who was leaving for Leopoldville during his second African tour as President Kennedy's special envoy to Africa, was said to have laughed.

Finlay-Bissett, 58, who had pleaded not guilty, changed his plea to guilty after five prosecution witnesses had given evidence. He was sentenced to the fine or two months imprisonment.

Cables in Brief

SIBERIA.—A Soviet statistical report in Moscow Monday night said the population of Siberia has increased by 2.7 million over the past seven years to a total of 18.5 million.

CLOSEDOWN. — The Beirut newspaper "Ash-Shams" (The Sun), the mouthpiece of the National Liberal Party led by ex-President Camille Chamoun, was ordered closed down for three days for attacking the Finance Minister and leader of the Falange Christian Party, Pierre Gemayel.

GRAFT. — Four major-generals were among 26 Chinese Nationalist officers arraigned Monday in Taipeh, Formosa, for court-martial for alleged involvement in graft. If convicted, they are liable to be sentenced to death.

ISLAM. — Seventeen social scientists from seven countries, specialists in Islamic questions, are attending a seminar on past and modern sociological aspects of Islam which opened in Brussels Monday. Participants come from Israel, France, Italy, the U.S., West Germany, Britain and Belgium.

OIL. — Officials of oil companies in Rabat, Morocco, yesterday said they had received permission to import supplies of petroleum products from the Soviet Union, the United Arab Republic, and Spain following a government measure suspending imports of such products from the franc zone.

COSTLY. — The U.S. Navy has presented Congress with a $41.6m. bill for the fire damage suffered by the aircraft carrier Constellation in the Brooklyn Navy yard last December.

CANAL. — President Roberto Chiari of Panama has announced that his country is seeking a new treaty with the U.S. on the Panama Canal, which in 1903 was leased "in perpetuity" to the U.S. for $2m. a year.

INVITATION. — President Kennedy has invited Lt.-Gen. Pak Chung Hee, head of the military group now ruling South Korea, to visit Washington in mid-November, the White House announced yesterday.

TIES. — AP quoted a well-informed source in Amman yesterday as saying Jordan and Nepal have agreed to exchange diplomatic representation.

CINEMAS

JERUSALEM

3.30, 7, 9 p.m.

CHEN: Le Bagne des Filles Perdu
EDEN: All The Fine Young Cannibals
EDISON: A bout de Souffle
HABIRAH: Un Seul Survivra
JERUSALEM: The Tunnel of Love
OR GIL: Mambo Bar
ORION: South Pacific, 6.30, 9
ORNA: September Storm
RON: Underworld, U.S.A.
SEMADAR: The Apartment
STUDIO: School for Scoundrels
TEL OR: High Noon
ZION HALL: La Cucaracha.

TEL AVIV

4, 7.30, 9.30 p.m.

ALLENBY: Stalag 17
ARMON DAVID: Adua e le Compagne
BEN YEHUDA: Les Piques Assiettes, 10, 12, 1, 4, 7.30, 9.30
CHEN: America By Night
EDEN: Banat El Yom
ESTHER: Cimarron
GAT: Wild Strawberries.
HOD: Rebecca, 4, 7.15, 9.30
MAXIM: Man of Fire
MIGDALOR: This Rebel Breed
MOGRABI: Tutti a Casa
OPHIR: A Breath of Scandal
ORION: Fox Hole in Cairo
PARIS: Ivanhoe
PEER: Plein Soleil, 4, 7.15, 9.30
SHDEROTH: Happy Anniversary
TAMAR: The Young Sinners
TCHELET: The Battleship Potemkin
TEL AVIV: Return to Peyton Place
YARON: Woman in the Window
ZAFON: Exodus, 4, 8 p.m.
ZAMIR: Circle of Deception
RAMAT GAN: Evening on the Beach

HAIFA

AMPHITHEATRE: The Big Show
ARMON: No Love for Johnnie 4, 6.45, 9
ATZMON: Butterfield 8
CHEN: The Riksha Man
EN DOR: The Last Days of Pompeii, 6.45, 9
GAL OR: Flaming Star
MAY: The Rat Race
MIRON: Ni va... Ni casse...
MORIAH: I Like Mike
ORAH: The Hoodlum Priest
ORION: Duel in the Forest
ORLY: Happy is the Bride 6.45, 9
PEER: Speak to Me of Love 4, 6.45 9
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Concert with Pablo Casals (Cello), Rudolf Serkin, the Budapest Quartet at Mann Auditorium Sept. 16, 8.30 p.m. All tickets sold out. Admission only by coupon 10 of the subscribers' series
The concert of the New Israeli Quartet with Bracha Zfira at Habimah Hall, Sept. 15, 1961, at 8.30 p.m., is not included in the Festival Subscription. Tickets for this concert may be obtained at ticket agencies and on the evening of the concert at the box office.

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Hadassah Tour daily at 9 agn., from the Straus Health Centre, Straus St., Jerusalem. Book for this tour by phoning 24061. Charge: IL2.00 per person to cover cost of transport.

• **New Israel Films:**
Daily showing, Keren Hayesod Hall, 13 noon, 1 p.m.

• **Exhibitions:—**
Jerusalem Art Gallery, 6 Rehov David Hamelech: Daily 10 a.m.—1; 4—8 p.m.
Artists' House. Paintings by Dr. Paul Loewy and Dan Hoffner, 10-1, 4-6.
Rina Gallery, 13 Rehov Shlomzion Hamalka. Tel 23523. "Archaic Landscape," oils and drawings by Joseph Halevy. Daily, 9-1, 4-7, 9-11.
Archaeological Museum, Department of Antiquities. 25 Rehov Shlomo Hamelech Gold Treasure from Caesarea. Pontius Pilate inscription from Caesarea. Exhibit of the month: Statue of Ephesian Artemis from Caesaria, 9-1, 3-5.
Bezalel National Museum: Permanent exhibition of Jewish Ceremonial Art. Archaeological objects. Modern American Drawings (loan from Museum of Modern Art, New York): Israeli painters, traditional subjects. Palestinian painters, traditional subjects, 9-1, 3.30-6.
Bezalel Art Library. Magic Lines in modern American drawings: New acquisitions, 9-2.30.
"Israel Today", permanent exhibition, Binyanei Ha'ooma, 10-1, 4-6.
• **Zoo:—**
Jerusalem Biblical Zoo: 8 a.m.—7 p.m.

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• **Theatre:—**
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Z.O.A. House, 9 a.m.—7 p.m.

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• **Exhibitions:—**
Prints and Drawings, Israel Painters and Sculptors Assoc. Art Pavilion, 9 Alharizi, 10-1; Sat., 10-1.
Ancient Glass. Pre-historic finds in coastal region: Museum Ha'aretz, 1-8.
Tel Aviv Museum:
Rubinstein Pavilion, Tarsat Blvd. 1) Shmuel Bonneh — paintings. 2) Efraim Modzelevich — paintings. Hours: 10-1, 4-7. Friday, 10-1. Saturday, 6-10 p.m.
Dizengoff House, 16 Rothschild Blvd. Selection from the Museum's collections: Classical Art, Modern Art, Israeli Art, British Watercolours 18th and 19th century. Hours: 10-1, 4-7; Friday, Saturday, 10-1.
Z.O.A. House: Photographs by Micha Avni, 10 a.m.-10 p.m.

HAIFA

• **Exhibitions:—**
Art Gallery: Paintings, Woodcuts, Sculptures. Artists' House, 24 U.N.O. Avenue, 10-1, 4-7, Saturdays, 10-1 only.
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HURRICANE

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ill-defined, but torrential rain up to 38 cm. might fall as its centre approached Austin, Texas, yesterday evening, and there would still be high squalls. In some parts of the State there were still gusts of 160 k.p.h.

Gales extended 250 km. from the centre of the hurricane, the Weather Bureau said. Dangerously high tides were running on the coast.

While tidal waves of more than four metres whipped the low-lying regions yesterday morning, even rattlesnakes slithered to safety, presenting a new hazard for evacuees huddled on high ground. In Texas City, scores of the deadly reptiles were reported advancing before a 3.5m. high tide which swept into the town, and one policeman alone accounted for 40 of them with his revolver.

Hundreds of boats and small craft along the coast were battered to smithereens as the hurricane swept over the near-deserted ghost communities. Thousands of acres of rich farmland, under cotton, rice and other crops, were ravaged by the storm and private homes and shops were wrecked and inundated.

Preliminary estimates put the hurricane damage in Texas alone at possibly higher than $200m.

A top insurance agent in the Texas Coast area said: "It looks as if this will be the largest single insurance loss the country has ever experienced." The State Agricultural Commissioner put farm losses already at about $140m.

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ON THE AIR

FIRST PROGRAMME
522 256.4, 249 & 220 M.

News: Hebrew: 6.05, 7.00 and 7.55 a.m., 1.30, 5.00, 7.00, 9.00 and 11.00 p.m.
English: 2.00 p.m. **French**: 2.15 p.m.
6.00 a.m. Religious Service (R). 6.15 Musical Clock. 6.30 Exercises. 6.40 Musical Clock (R). 6.58 Programme Announcements. 7.17 Morning Melodies. 8.00 Close Down.
11.00 a.m. Programme Announcements. 11.01 Popular Concert: Tchaikovsky: Overture "1812" (Conductor: Felix Slatkin); Weber: Piano Concerto No. 2, Liszt: Hungarian Rhapsody No. 4; Suppe: Overture "Poet and Peasant". 12.00 Women's Corner. 12.30 Lunchtime Music. 1.45 Where to Go? 2.30 Close Down.
4.59 Opening. 5.05 Announcements. 5.06 Lesson in the Book of Tania. 5.20 Spanish Folk Songs, performed by Rachel de Sirkin (Soprano) at the Piano: Arieh Zemanek. 5.35 Hebrew Language Corner. 5.50 Franz Liszt (1811 — 1886) Second Programme — played by Oskar Kosches (Piano): 1) Ballade No. 2; 2) Etude "Waldesrauschen"; 3) Petrarch Sonnet No. 104; 4) Polonaise in E. 6.30 Youth Corner. 6.57 Daily News Service for the Agriculturalist. 7.20 "A Day at the Airport". 7.50 The Radio Magazine. 7.55 "Words and Music" — A Series of programmes on the treatment of Words in the Vocal Literature, produced and presented by Natan Mishori. 8.25 Requests for Songs and Dances. 8.50 Bible Reading: Divrei Hayamim 2, chaps. 3 & 4. 9.15 Newsreel. 9.30 Opera: Karel Salomon: "Vows" — Part One. 10.30 "A Moment of Poetry." 10.33 Literature Corner. 11.10 Close Down.

SECOND PROGRAMME
460, 422 & 202.7 M.

Commercial Programme: 3.30 p.m. Opening. 4.00 Programme for Tourists presented by Y. Lev. 5.00 News. 5.05 Announcements. 5.06 Tune and Melody. 5.45 Hebrew Songs. 6.00 "From the Newsroom." 6.02 New Records. 6.17 "Why Not?" with D. Ben-Avi & R. Michaeli. 6.40 The Soloist. 6.55 "From the Newsroom." 6.57 The Stock Market. 6.59 Close Down.
9.30 Opening. 9.31 "Entertainment '61." 10.15 "From the Newsroom." 10.17 Nations' Songs. 10.43 Quiet Music. 11.00 News. 11.10 Close Down.

IMMIGRANTS' HOUR:
7.00 p.m. News in Easy Hebrew. 7.15 Rumanian. 7.30 Yiddish. 8.00 Hebrew Lesson. 8.10 News in Hungarian. 8.30 News in Polish. 8.45 Ladino. 9.00 News in French. 9.15 News in English.

ARABIC PROGRAMME
467 and 41.7 M.

Arabic Programme (including News): 6.28-7.15 a.m. 1.30-2.15, 8.28-11.15 p.m.

KOL YISRAEL LAGOLA (33.3 M.): Programme to the U.K. 10.15 News. 10.26 Israel Music Festival. 10.45 News Headlines & Close Down.

Programme to South Africa: 6.45 News. 6.56 Israel Music Festival. 7.10 From the Federation. 7.15 News Headlines & Close Down.

ARMY PROGRAMME
(216, 225 and 235 M.):

6.00 Opening. 6.03 Songs at Your Request. 6.40 Star of the Evening. 6.58 Announcements. 7.00 News. 7.10 "Encore". 7.30 "From the Arab World". 7.45 Pleasant Tune. 8.00 "Jazz Club". 8.30 "Army's Diary". 8.45 Military Music. 9.00 News. 9.15 "Merry Rhythm." 9.30 Evening with Nehama Hendel. 10.00 Dance Music. 10.30 Close Down.

B.B.C. HEBREW BROADCASTS: (25.25, 19.76 & 16.77 M.): 7.15-7.45 p.m. News, News Comment, In the Jewish World.

VOICE OF AMERICA
5.00 News. 5.25 United Nations in Action — On-the-scene coverage of the UN proceedings. 6.00 News. 6.15 United Nations in Action (Repeat of 5.15). 7.00 The Breakfast Show 2½ hours of straight music and news.
15.00 Report to South Asia: News; Regional Feature. 16.00 News; News Analysis. 16.15 The Feminine Touch — Marriage, the begining of a family. 17.00 News; News Analysis. 17.15 Report to Middle East: Regional Feature. 18.00 News. 18.15 Opinion Roundup. 19.00 Report to Middle East: News; Regional Feature (Repeat of 17.15 feature). 19.30 Listener's Log. 20.00 Report to Africa: News; Regional Feature (Repeat of 16.15). 20.45 Opinion Roundup. 21.00 News in Special English. 21.15 Music, USA (Popular) Dance Programme. 22.00 News in Special English. 22.15 Music, USA (Jazz) "New Orleans — the living legends". 23.00 News; News Analysis. 23.15 New Horizons in Science. 23.30 Perspective. 24.00 News; News Analysis. 0.15 The Feminine Touch (Repeat of 16.15).

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DEPARTURES: El Al 305 to El Al 231 to Rome, London and New York — 0900. B.O.A.C. 309 to Geneva, London and New York — 0910. Air France 135 to Rome and Paris — 1000. Olympic 603 to Athens — 1030. El Al 315 to Istanbul — 1200.

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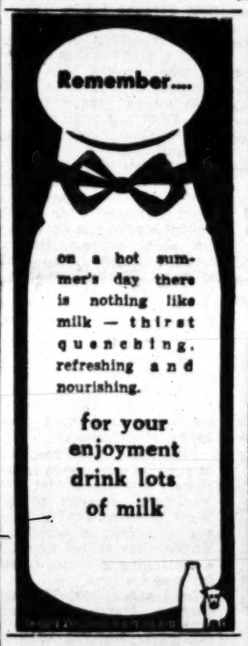
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Nazareth	—	—13	26—25
Tiberias	36	23—21	33—33
Haifa Port	30	28—24	28—26
H.A. Kirya	46	32—21	30—29
H.A. Port	38	26—24	28—28
Lydda Airp.	47	21—20	29—29
Jerusalem	45	18—16	34—34
Beersheba	34	20—19	29—29
Eilat	39	25—24	38—37

A) Humidity at 8 p.m. B) Yesterday's Temperature range. C) Today's Temperature forecast.

ARRIVAL

Mr. Yitzhak Levy, Deputy Director General of the Prime Minister's Office, from the U.S. where he conducted negotiations on behalf of the Scientific Translations Project (by El Al).

DEPARTURES

Mr. David Kochav, Director of Research at the Bank of Israel, to Vienna to participate in meetings of the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund.

Mr. Edwin Samuel, to attend the international conference on public administration in Lisbon (by Olympic Airways).

No White Paper On Camp Bombing

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

LONDON. — There will be no White Paper nor will any other document be published dealing with war-time requests to bomb the Nazi extermination camps in Europe.

The Prime Minister has written privately to Mr. Arthur Henderson, who raised the matter in Parliament several months ago when the issue came up at the Eichmann trial in Jerusalem, stating the Government's intention not to do anything further in the matter.

The Foreign Office refuses to publish the letter.

(Documents were introduced by the prosecution in the Eichmann trial showing that requests were made to the Foreign Office at various times for the bombing of the extermination camps and the railway lines leading to them.)

Dutch Memorial To Unknown War Dead

The Netherlands War Graves Commission will shortly publish a series of volumes containing the names of more than 115,000 Dutch nationals, of whom the overwhelming majority were Jews, who perished during the war but whose place of burial is unknown.

This was announced last week by the Dutch Ambassador, J.W.G. Baron Gevers, at a press conference in the Embassy in Jerusalem.

The books will be deposited in the funeral chapel of the Central Cemetery of the War Graves Commission at Loenen.

The Commission, which has been amassing data for 15 years, announced that the books contain considerable information about each victim, such as date and place of birth, date of transportation, and an attempt has also been made to fix the place and date of death.

U.S. Labour Chiefs Call on Premier

By HELGA DUDMAN, Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Mr. George Meany, President of the AFL-CIO, here on a three-day visit, met with Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion at the latter's holiday retreat on Monday. (See picture Page One).

Mr. and Mrs Meany arrived Sunday on their first visit to Israel as guests of the Histadrut. With them is Mr. George Harrison, Vice-President of the 13-million-member AFL-CIO, and Chairman of the Union's International Affairs Committee and of the Democratic National Committee's Labour Section.

The two American labour leaders met privately with Mr. Ben-Gurion and Mr. Aharon Becker, Secretary of the Histadrut. According to Mr. Becker, subjects discussed included "the development of the Negev, labour movements in the United States and Israel, and various international problems."

At Beersheba the group visited the Negev Kupat Holim Hospital, built in the name of David Dubinsky and the International Ladies Garment Workers Union. Yesterday morning the group took off by air again, this time for the North. (Mr. Harrison, en route, in answer to a question if he was "going to see Lavon: "Well, we're talking about it. I don't know. I'd like to. But I don't want to embarrass anybody").

Yesterday, Mr. Meany and his party flew to Nazareth, where he was shown a model of the sports stadium, shortly to be built, which will bear his name. The guests were entertained at luncheon by the Mayor, Mr. Seif E-Din Zuabi.

Sportsmanship

The Mayor welcomed Mr. Meany in Arabic, and the speech was then put into English ("I'm not really the translator, I'm the Vice-Mayor."). It pointed to the importance of the spirit of competition and fair play engendered by athletics such as will be fostered by the Meany Stadium to arise midway between the old and the new sections of Nazareth.

Mr. Meany expressed his pleasure at being in Nazareth," the birthplace of the Christian religion, where today one can see Christians, Jews, and Arabs working together in peace for the common good. It could well be an example to the rest of the world." He brought, from the workers of America, the sincerest greetings and thanks "to the Jewish, Moslem, and Christian workers here."

On their arrival Sunday night, the Americans were welcomed by Mr. Becker; the Mayor of Tel Aviv, Mr. Namir; Mr. Eliahu Elath, Co-Chairman of the Histadrut's Afro-Asian Institute; Mr. Isaiah Avrech, the Histadrut's American representative who is now in Israel; and Mrs. Yehudit Simhoni, head of the Histadrut Political Department.

Replying to Mr. Becker's welcome address at the Sheraton Hotel, Mr. Meany said: "It hardly seems possible that this is my first visit. I've wanted to come so many times, but something always interfered."

(Mr. and Mrs. Meany and Mr. Harrison came direct from a labour conference in England.)

Of the Histadrut's Afro-Asian Institute, towards which the AFL-CIO contributes 60 scholarships, he said: "I think Israel is in a good position to spearhead this programme of helping people in newly emerging countries to get some sense of trade unionism."

Practical Approach

Mr. Meany showed his practical approach to life later when he removed his cigar and asked the press: "Why are you fellows holding a press conference now? There won't be any papers for three days."

To the question whether his visit here meant anything beyond a wish to see the country, he said: "Not at all. We don't expect to get any new members here."

Mr. Meany and his party will leave the country tomorrow morning. Today, they will call on President Ben-Zvi and lunch with the Foreign Minister.

Synagogues Crowded On Two-Day Holiday

Jerusalem Post Staff

The two-day Rosh Hashana holiday passed quietly, with the synagogues throughout the country crowded with worshippers. Many public halls were converted into temporary places of worship to cater for those whom the regular synagogues could not accommodate.

According to a Ministry for Religious Affairs spokesman, about 12,000 Israelis and tourists visited Mount Zion during the two days. The *shofar* used was one brought from Bergen-Belsen.

The *Mussaf* prayer was recited on the roof opposite the Temple Mount. *Tashlich* was said near the pit in the courtyard of the Tomb of David.

Chief Rabbi Nissim visited President Ben-Zvi on the eve of the holiday to convey his New Year greetings.

Streets Deserted

In Tel Aviv, the streets were deserted during both days of the holiday. Thousands of residents had left the city to spend Rosh Hashana in other parts of the country. But in the evenings most cafes and bars were open again and the Tel Avivians who stayed behind packed the main streets.

Services were held in some 700 synagogues and in hotels and public buildings, including the Sheraton and Z.O.A. House. Tel Aviv's Religious Council, headed by Chief Rabbi I. Y. Unterman, visited the city's hospitals, passing from bed to bed bringing the season's greetings. Large rooms in the Ichilov and Assuta hospitals were transformed into synagogues. *Shofar* blowers entered hospital wards for the benefit of bed-ridden patients.

Tel Avivians recited the *Tashlich* ceremony on Monday on the beach only a short distance away from swimmers and others playing beach games. *Tashlich* was also said along the Yarkon and in the east of the city, at Nahal Ayalon.

Sherut taxis ran continuously throughout Rosh Hashana and were generally undisturbed. The only anti-traffic incident occurred yesterday morning, when the convoy of cars carrying Mr. George Meany and his party to the Sde Dov airport, was stoned by children outside a synagogue in Rehov Ben Yehuda.

At the Savyon synagogue, where most of the congregation consists of new immigrants from South Africa and old-timers from English-speaking countries, a number of women members distributed leaflets complaining that leading religious bodies have so far failed to condemn the kidnapping of Yossele Schuhmacher.

Finished Just in Time

In Haifa, services were held in about 300 permanent and temporary houses of worship, one of which in the Hadar Hacarmel, was completed only an hour before the holiday started.

On Monday night, the central Hadar and Mt. Carmel streets were packed with strollers, who also crowded the few cafes that were open. Yesterday a few drops of rain fell, at noon and again at 3.30 in the afternoon.

Several hundred immigrants arrived in Haifa on the eve of the holiday and were immediately taken to their new homes in various parts of the country. In addition to the usual food rations prepared for newcomers by the Jewish Agency's Absorption Department the new immigrants also found special holiday gift packages with full provender for celebrating the New Year.

On the shores of Lake Kinneret, several hundred young people who arrived in cars put up tents and spent the two days bathing and resting. Kibbutzim in the area were hosts to many guests and tourists.

Haifa's Own Theatre Opens With 'Taming of the Shrew'

By YA'ACOV FRIEDLER, Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA.—Haifa celebrated the most important cultural event of its recent history last night, the festive opening of its IL2.5m. Municipal Theatre, the first city-operated repertory theatre in Israel.

Shakespeare's "The Taming of the Shrew," in Hebrew by Rafael Eliaz and directed by Mr. Yosef Milo, was the first play performed. The actors, brought to the town by Mr. Milo, form a new dramatic company, which will be the Theatre's permanent ensemble.

At the opening, Mayor Abba Khouahy announced that the Municipality will award IL-6,000 annually for the best original Hebrew plays submitted. Three prizes will be awarded each Rosh Hashana, of IL3,000, IL2,000, and IL-1,000 each. A jury will be established by the Municipality and the Society of Friends of the Theatre, within a fortnight. The winning playwrights will also get the usual royalties.

The gala opening was attended by the Ministers of Justice and Agriculture, Knesset Members and civic leaders. It was followed by a short reception, and the premiere of the Theatre Club's new programme.

The theatre is equipped with the most modern acoustic, electrical and technical installations, and is handsomely appointed.

Twelve thousand subscription tickets have been sold for the year's five performances, Mr. Ya'acov Yasour, the Theatre Manager said. Each play is to run for about two months. The next one will be the Japanese "Rashomon," followed later by a new Hebrew play, "Ruth," by Moshe Shamir.

The Theatre will also be the host to the Haifa Symphony Orchestra, and will be ready to accommodate Tel Aviv theatre groups, on a reciprocal basis, when its own troupe is not playing.

Teachers' Pay Advances To Be Met October 1

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The fourth advance on account of future pay rises will be paid to the country's teachers with their September salaries (October 1), according to a decision of the Ministers of Finance and Education, the Education Ministry spokesman has announced.

Payment of the advances was part of the agreement between the Government and teachers pending final conclusion of negotiations on pay rises for both elementary and secondary school teachers. Last week, the secondary school teachers threatened to stay away from their classes if the fourth advance was not paid shortly (they claim it had been promised for September 1).

Bond Offices in U.S. End 4-Day Strike

NEW YORK (INA). — An agreement reached on Monday ended a four-day strike of 400 professional and clerical employees of the Development Corporation for Israel, which conducts the sale of Israel Bonds.

The strike was called to force an increase of the minimum salaries of professional staff from $10,000 a year to $12,000. The Company offered $11,000.

The agreement, terms of which were not announced, provided for a compromise between these two figures.

The Bonds organization has fifty offices in the U.S.

Israel Envoy At Moscow Services

NEW YORK (INA). — The New York "Herald Tribune" yesterday reported from Moscow that more than a thousand Russian Jews jammed Moscow's Central Synagogue on Sunday night for Rosh Hashana services. Hundreds more stood outside the Romanesque building two blocks from Red Square.

Prominent among the Moscow throng was the Israeli Ambassador, Dr. Arieh Harel, accompanied by his young son, Embassy personnel and a few foreign visitors.

He sat in a newly-constructed section near the cantor's stand, but separated from the congregation.

The average age of the congregants was well over 50. A few were well-dressed, but more wore threadbare garments.

Prayer books were scarce. A few skullcaps were available, obviously the gifts of foreign visitors. One was inprinted "Wedding Reception of Mr. and Mrs. Elgin, June 10, 1956, Blackbush, Vancouver."

Adenauer: Ties With Jewry Improved

BONN (Reuter). — The Eichmann trial did not hurt relations between the Germany of today and Jewry, Chancellor Konrad Adenauer said in a message of greeting to the Jewish people marking the Jewish New Year.

Dr. Adenauer's message said in part that one could not look at "the great Jerusalem trial of this year" without remembering again one of the worst persecutions of the Jewish people and without expressing one's horror in the face of the inhuman and criminal deeds and perpetrators.

He said that "the friendly relations with our Jewish compatriots have further improved during the past year."

Zim to Link Orient To US East Coast

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — A new regular cargo line between the Far East and the East Coast of the U.S. will be opened by Zim at the end of the month. The line will have monthly sailings in each direction, the Zim spokesman announced on Sunday.

The route will be opened by the m.s. Ampal, sailing from Norfolk, Va., and touching at various U.S. ports, through the Panama Canal to Japan and the Philippines, to Hong Kong. Besides the Ampal, the m.s. Negba will also ply the route, together with two smaller freighters, of 10,000 tons each.

The new line completes Zim's international cargo network, the spokesman said.

Zim will also shortly introduce new ships on its Eilat-Japan and Southeast Asia cargo line. Three vessels, now being converted to diesel, of 10,420 tons each will sail on the route. The ships are expected to haul 40,000 tons of potash to Japan next year.

S-B Asked to Sell Ghana Interests

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — Solel Boneh has been asked to sell its 40 per cent interest in the Ghana National Construction Company to the Ghanaian partners, it was learned here.

(The Foreign Ministry spokesman said last night that the development is in line with Israel's policy to assist African and Asian enterprises up to the stage where they can work on an independent local basis.)

The Israel firm has been asked, however, to stay on to manage the company, under an arrangement similar to that whereby Zim manages the Black Star shipping line, after its interest was taken up by the Ghanaian partners some time ago.

The joint company was founded in 1958 with Solel Boneh's Overseas and Harbour Works Division. The partnership was to last five years.

Solel Boneh now remains a partner in five government-supported construction companies abroad: in Eastern and Western Nigeria, Sierra Leone, Burma and Nepal.

New Beersheba Mayor Sought

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — The local Mapai Secretariat is due to meet today to consider Mayor David Touviahu's resignation and appoint a nomination committee to select his successor.

It is nearly a foregone conclusion that the Mayor's resignation will be accepted. The nomination committee has the choice of proposing either one of the members of Mapai's present six-man faction on the Municipal Council for Mayor or choosing one of the names from its 30-man candidates list in the last Municipal elections.

In the first case the leading candidates for the job are Mrs. Sarah Batz or Mr. David Hakham. In the second eventuality, all the present six Mapai councillors would have to resign to enable a man further along on the list to become Mayor.

Candidates in such a case would be: Mr. Meir Batz, Chief Engineer of the Jewish Agency's Negev Department; Dr. Haim Doron of Kupat Holim; or Mr. Avraham Balaban, managing director of the Harsa ceramics plant here.

Former Knesset Member Gideon Ben-Yisrael has categorically stated that he is not a candidate for the post.

A third possibility which cannot be completely ruled out is that Mr. Ze'ev Zarizi of Mapam might succeed in forming a coalition with himself as Mayor, by lining up the one Herut, two National Religious and perhaps the one Ahdut councillor behind his four Mapam votes on the 15-man Council.

Highway Gaining Preference Over Railway to Eilat

By DAVID KRIVINE, Jerusalem Post Economic Reporter

A sub-committee to work out relative costs of the construction of a railway or a wider highway to Eilat, headed by Mr. J. Mallis, Economic Adviser of the Transport Ministry, last week reported in favour of the construction of a highway, since the figures quoted show an annual cost of IL9m. for the railway and only IL7-8.4m. for the roadway.

Disagreement, however, persisted at the subsequent meeting of the Inter-Ministerial Committee appointed to study this question.

The Committee is unanimous that a major thoroughfare will have to be constructed through the Negev. Traffic will more than double by 1967-8, from the present 600,000 tons to 1.2-1.4m. tons a year — 90 per cent of it minerals from Sdom, Oron and the Mitzpe Ramon area. A railway network linking these points to Eilat and through Beersheba to Ashdod will take five years to build (including one year for detailed planning).

If Road More Practical

The point to be decided is whether it would not be more economical to enlarge the existing road into a highway capable of carrying a fleet of 75 truck-units, each hauling 35 tons of freight in a lorry with one trailer, or 50-55 tons in a lorry with two trailers.

The Committee, headed by Mr. Pinhas Ginzburg, Director-General of the Transport Ministry, consists of Messrs. Simha Soroker of the Treasury, Y. Schickler of the Commerce Ministry, Leo Pomerantz of the Development Ministry, Menahem Savidor of Israel Railways and Aluf Moshe Zadok of the Defence Ministry.

Transport Ministry circles, however, take exception to the calculations made. The road would need a 9-metre span instead of the 7 metres for which the sub-committee made provision. (This point of contention underlines the absence of a representative from the Public Works Division on the committee.) Opinions also differ on the percentage of depreciation and interest which should be used for breaking down the initial capital investment into annual instalments.

The one-time investment will be substantially heavier if a railway line is built. Its cost will come to IL69m. (6km. IL5.5m. if wooden sleepers are used), whereas a roadway will cost only IL38m. — excluding IL7.8m. that will have to be spent on the existing road even if the railway line is constructed. To this must be added IL7.4-8m. for rolling stock, as against IL4.6m. for trucks and trailers.

On the other hand, annual maintenance and replacement costs for the highway and haulage equipment come to IL8.6-6.8m., as against IL3.8m. for the railway.

French Experience

Comparable calculations for road and railway made by the French Transport Ministry for projects in West Africa (submitted to the Transport Committee for their consideration) show that overall costs for a 300-km. stretch are lower for a highway if the annual freight is 300,000 tons (12.6 francs per ton-km. as against 14f. for a railway), whereas if the freight to be carried is 900,000 tons, the railway is cheaper (7.4f. as against 8.2f.).

The sub-committee stresses in its report that the above figures are estimates, not based on exact blue-prints.

There are good hopes that the Committee will reach a conclusion on this urgent matter before the end of September.

14 Die in Italian Car Race Crash

ROME, (AP). — The Government on Monday ordered a full investigation into safety measures at auto races, to prevent tragedies such as an accident that took 14 lives at the Monza Grand Prix on Sunday.

State Attorney Vincenzo Arcidiancono has begun questioning Jim Clark, one of the two drivers who survived the accident which killed crack German racer Wolfgang von Trips and 13 spectators. Clark's British Lotus touched off the tragedy when one of its wheels slammed against a wheel of von Trips' Ferrari. The latter was hurled into the crowd.

Notices to the Public

RENEWAL OF FIREARMS LICENCES

Licensing clerks at the Ministry of Interior's District and Regional Offices will begin to deal with renewal of firearms licences immediately after Rosh Hashana, on September 13, 1961.

Firearms licences will expire according to law at the end of the Hebrew calendar year and possessors of firearms must renew their licences for the year 5722. Licence books must be presented together with certificates from authorized firearms examiners affirming that the arms are suitable for use.

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By virtue of the authority vested in me in accordance with paragraphs 3 (a), 4 (a) and 9, of the Defence Law, 1959 (Condensed Version)*, I hereby order as follows:

Interpretation:

1. In this Order, "eligible for service" means a male Israel citizen or any man permanently residing under the jurisdiction of the State of Israel and who was born on or between September 30, 1943, and March 24, 1944.

2) Reporting for registration and determination of Health Category for Defence Service:

2(a) Every person eligible for service is hereby ordered to report for registration and medical and other examinations in order to determine his category for defence service, at one of the places listed in Table A, between the hours 8 a.m. and 12 noon on the day listed in Table B, opposite the first letter of his surname;

(b) Every person eligible for registration who has reported for registration in accordance with the Defence Service Order (Call-Up for Registration, and Examination, No. 4, 1961** (below — Defence Service Order), will be considered to have reported for determination of defence service category in accordance with this Order.

Reporting for Regular Service

3. Every person eligible for service who has reported as specified in paragraph 2 (a) or who has reported in compliance with the Defence Service Ordinance and has been found eligible for Defence Service is hereby ordered to report for regular Service at the time and place specified in paragraph 2 (a).

4. This Order will be known as "Order for Defence Service (Call-Up for Registration, Examinations and Regular Service) (No. 7), 1961.

TABLE A

1. Jerusalem	Recruiting Office, Derech Beit Lahem, corner of Emek Refaim.
2. Tel Aviv-Yafo	Recruiting Office, 1 Rehov Portiyah, Yafo (near Noga Cinema).
3. Haifa	Recruiting Office, 32 Rehov Y.L. Peretz.
4. Petah Tikva	Recruiting Office, Shikun Irond, Pejа.
5. Tiberias	Recruiting Office, Nazareth Street, opp. Municipality.
6. Beersheba	Recruiting Office, 23 Rehov Yad Vashem.

TABLE B

Aleph, Bet, Gimmel, Dalet	Thursday, September 14-17, 1961
Heh, Vav, Zayin, Het	Monday, September 18, 1961
Tet, Yod, Kaf, Lamed	Thursday, September 21, 1961
Mem, Nun, Samech, Ayin	Tuesday, September 26, 1961
Peh, Tzadek, Kof	Wednesday, September 27, 1961
Resh, Shin Tav	Thursday, September 28, 1961

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(Sgd.) Aharon Niv,
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By JOSHUA RON

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Alex. Zauber, 'Yediot' Journalist, Dies in N.Y.

Alexander Zauber, the Deputy Chairman of Hitachdut Olei Hungaria and a member of the editorial staff of "Yediot Aharonot" and "Uj Kelet," died in New York on Friday. He was 58.

Zauber was in New York as part of a delegation of Habad *hassidim* from Israel on a pilgrimage to the Lubavitscher Rebbe, the worldwide head of the *hassidic* group.

His remains will be brought to Israel for burial after the High Holidays.

Boy Dies in Fall From Sixth Storey

TEL AVIV. — A 13-year-old boy, Nathan Schwartz, died here on Tuesday after falling from the roof of a six-storey building in Rehov Levontin.

The boy fell as he tried to jump onto the roof of his next door home. He was rushed to Hadassah Hospital but died soon after admission.

Jerusalem Student Drowns Off Tantura

A 23-year-old Hebrew University student, Yehoshua ("Shuki") Waldmann, drowned off Tantura on Saturday. The funeral will be held in Jerusalem today.

Waldmann, a Jerusalem boy and graduate of the Reshavia Gymnasium, was a math. student at the University and Segen in the Army.

2nd Victim in Jerusalem Road Accident Dies

Mrs. Bracha Gur, wife of the Chief Cashier of the Hebrew University, Mr. Shlomo Gur, died on Friday of injuries sustained in a car crash on the road leading to the Holyland Hotel on Wednesday.

The funeral was held on Friday afternoon.

The Gurs' nine-year-old daughter, Dorit, was killed in the crash. Mr. Gur was also seriously injured in the crash is still in hospital.

Shalom Shtarkes Spent Holiday In Jail; Remand Expires Today

By S. J. GOLDSMITH, Jerusalem Post Correspondent

LONDON.—Shalom Shtarkes, uncle of Yossele Schuhmacher, spent Rosh Hashanah in jail after a Bow Street Magistrate's Court refused a final plea for bail.

The remand order against Starkes expires today (Wednesday), and police are expected to ask for an extension while Scotland Yard continues its search for Yossele, the nine-year-old boy who has been missing since February 1960, when his uncle Shalom fetched him from an Agudat Yisrael moshav in Israel. Yossele's parents had left him with his grandfather in Jerusalem, and the latter subsequently refused, in defiance of a court order, to let him go back home for fear that his parents were not sufficiently observant. The boy eventually disappeared in the company of Shalom Shtarkes.

The Home Office, meanwhile, is considering the Israel request for extradition of Shtarkes. If it agrees to the Israeli request, Shtarkes' lawyer is expected to apply for a writ of *habeas corpus*, which would further delay extradition proceedings.

The Agudat Yisrael organ here, "The Jewish Post," has attacked the Israel Embassy for allegedly objecting to bail for Shtarkes, thus keeping a Jew in custody during High Holidays. Police pointed out, however, that it was they who opposed bail as routine procedure on the grounds that a suspect's release, for whatever reason, makes their task more difficult.

U.S. Grant For Heart Disease Study

The U.S. National Institutes of Health have made a further grant of $42,550 to Profs. J. Groen and F. Dreyfuss, of the Department of Medicine at the Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School, for the continuation of their studies of coronary heart disease as related to diet and ways of life.

The first grant for the purpose, amounting to $92,000, was made two years ago, following the conclusion arrived at and confirmed by Prof. Dreyfuss some time previously that the incidence of coronary disease in oriental communities in Israel is very low. In an effort to discover the reason for this, the two professors, in cooperation with Prof. Louis Guttman, of the Hebrew University's Department of Sociology, have been making a comparative study of different types of oriental and Ashkenazi communities, approaching the problem from three angles — the medical, the sociological and the dietetic.

Syrians Steal Fisherman's Nets

TIBERIAS. — Fifteen fishing nets belonging to a local fisherman, Mr. Albert Kubi, were stolen from Lake Kinneret, apparently by Syrians, over the Holidays.

Mr. Kubi informed the police yesterday that he had spread the nets at the Jordan efflux on the north-eastern shore of the Lake. They were gone when he came to take them in.

To

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By MARCEL POHNE,
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

COLOGNE. — NEXT Sunday some 37 million Germans will go to the polls to elect the fourth Bundestag, the Lower House of the German Parliament. With less than a week to go, the outcome of the election seems more uncertain than ever.

ADENAUER: Less Sure of Success.

Only a week or so ago, the only speculation was just how big Dr. Adenauer's majority would be, but today political observers in Bonn wonder whether his party, the Christian Democrats, will get a working majority at all. As a result, talk of a coalition government has become very insistent and it seems that all the parties are seriously envisaging such a solution.

Berlin Blamed

This major change in the political outlook is, of course, mainly due to the Berlin crisis which has given a last-minute twist to a problem which everybody thought already solved.

It is true that a poll taken in the eve of the crisis had already shown a certain dwindling in the following of the Christian Democrats but, with 31 per cent, they were still well ahead of their main opponents, the Social-Democrats, who scored 26 per cent, with 6 per cent for the liberal Free Democrats and another 6 per cent for the small parties to the extreme right and left. (As the Communist Party is outlawed, it does not contest the elections.)

There was, however, an unexpectedly large proportion of undecided voters (31 per cent) and to win these over is the main aim of the rest of the election campaign. Originally the Christian Democrats had hoped to persuade at least half of these to throw in their lot with them but as things are this chance seems to have become very slim.

New Tactics

The latest events have sent the managing boards of the major parties into frantic action. Pollsters were called in for a quick re-appraisal of public opinion and new campaigning tactics devised. Despite appeals from all sides for a quiet election campaign and inter-party unity in view of the grave situation facing the country, recent election speeches have revealed a tone of violence which had not been heard before.

The Social-Democrats, who up till now had centred their electoral propaganda around internal rather than external issues, have decided to play up the Berlin crisis. They attack Adenauer's foreign policy as linking the Federal Republic too closely to the West, thereby alienating her from the Eastern bloc and making German re-union impossible. Moreover, they blame the Chancellor for showing a lack of interest in Berlin, arriving there well after all the other political leaders had rushed to the scene to express their solidarity with the inhabitants of the divided city. To this Adenauer retorted in a speech in Hagen that the Russians had prompted the closing of the Sektorengrenze expressly to help the Social-Democrats in the elections. "They do not like Brandt," he said, "but they like me even less." Mayor Brandt's answer to this was a blunt, "The old man is not fully aware of the situation any more."

Another example of new campaigning manners was provided by the Chancellor who, in one of his addresses, referred to his opponent as "Herr Brandt alias Frahm," thus alluding to the origin of the Mayor of Berlin who, the son of an unmarried shop-assistant, had in 1933 changed his name from Herbert Frahm to Willy Brandt in order to escape persecution by the Gestapo. The Social-Democrats retorted in one of their political cabaret-shows by linking Adenauer with Rosemarie Nitribitt, a famous Frankfurt prostitute, who was murdered under mysterious circumstances, and hinted that this relationship was the reason why the Chancellor had been obliged to confess to the Pope during his recent visit to Rome. Oddly enough, after this outrage, Mayor Brandt's speech called for national solidarity beyond all party ideologies to meet the common danger from abroad.

Hard Bargaining Ahead

But the days of election gimmicks in more or less good taste are numbered. If the Adenauer group fails to get an absolute majority, some hard bargaining for the seats in a coalition government will set in.

So far the Social-Democrats have declared themselves in favour of a government of national concentration including all parties to represent the Federal Republic in the forthcoming negotiations on Berlin and Germany. The Free Democrats, whose participation can be essential in case of an equal representation of the two big parties, have expressed their willingness to support any Christian-Democrat government headed either by the speaker of the Bundestag, Dr. Eugen Gerstenmayer; or Dr. Heinrich Krone, the head of the Christian-Democrat group in Parliament; or Prof. Ludwig Erhard, the Minister of Economy (not Adenauer or Strauss). So far they have refused to consider an alliance with the Social-Democrats because of conflicting party-ideologies.

As to the right-wing All-German Party to which the Berlin crisis has come as a windfall, they expect to obtain a sufficient number of mandates to be able to play their part in the coalition bargaining, too.

Only one party, the newly founded German Peace-Union, a left-wing organization whose establishment was loudly hailed by the Eastern German Communists as the "only party in the Federal Republic actually representing the people" seems to have lost all its hopes. The brutal action of the Ulbricht regime in Berlin has deprived them of the chance to win even the 5 per cent quota of votes necessary to be represented in the coming Bundestag.

PRESS ON NEW YEAR'S EVE:

"Hallowed Be Thy Name"

ABRAHAM, eager to fulfil God's command without demurring, encountered a number of difficulties on his way to sacrifice his son Isaac, writes Hatzofe (National Religious) citing the Midrash. In despair, the Patriarch cried out: "If something befalls me or my son, how will Thy command be carried out? Who will be left to sanctify Thy name?" To which the Lord answered: "As I live, you shall sanctify it." Abraham's question has been reiterated by every generation of Jews in adversity: it was asked by the Six Million, and it has been asked by their survivors. But after every misfortune the Jewish people steels itself anew and tenaciously resumes its singleness of purpose in declaring there is but one God and one Jewish way of life.

Ha'aretz (non-party) dwells on the disunity between Israel and the Diaspora, which do not respect each other sufficiently. We must keep in mind that the invocation to grant "honour to Thy nation, praise to those that fear Thee, hope to them that seek Thee, the right to plead for them that wait for Thee, joy to Thy land, exultation to Thy city and the waxing of the horn of David thy Servant" is a prayer beseeching fulfilment and not one of thankagiving. We have a long way to go before we may indulge in smug self-satisfaction.

Herut reviews Israel's position at home and abroad on the eve of the New Year and hopes that the latent potential of the Jewish people all over the world will make itself felt, saving those who are in danger as well as buttressing the State.

Davar (Histadrut) and Al Hamishmar (Mapam) view with alarm the danger signals of the world situation. Davar's second leader welcomes Mr. George Meany to Israel.

Lamerhav (Ahdut Ha'avoda) writes that Mr. Ben-Gurion's letters to the President and his party's secretariat are not a sign of his intention to relinquish the Premiership in the new coalition, but are rather a tactical move to bring him the Premiership on his own conditions. It may well be that Mapai has no alternative but to string along after Mr. Ben-Gurion but as for the general public it has shown in the election results that it does not agree with Mapai that only one person is today fit to head the Government. Mapai will be making a great mistake if it conducts the negotiations for setting up a new coalition irrevocably tied to Mr. Ben-Gurion's candidacy for Prime Minister and to his conditions for assuming that post.

NATURE NOTES

FLYING SYRINGE

IN Haifa there is a new pet shop, and it draws crowds. In a large aquarium placed in the window there are a few corals, no plants — and three strange fish. There is no name tablet, and the boys and grown-ups standing there, noses to the glass, tell each other in several languages that these are flying fish, or veiled fish, or what not. They are, however, one of the most beautiful and strange of Red Sea fishes, the Sunfish or Fire fish, better called by its scientific name, *Pterois volitans*. *Volitans* means "flying," it is true, but the fish do not leave the water. The name is taken from their swimming movement which actually looks like flying. That is because the fish, which are not spectacularly coloured, merely dun with brown stripes, excellent protective colouring, have developed three of their fins to look like spotted veils or phantastic butterfly wings, and when they stream along, it looks exactly as if they were flying through air. When we see them as close as we can in the shopwindow — or in Eilat itself in the aquarium there — we observe that the head is rather evil-looking, like a bad-tempered dog's, and we also see their weapons very clearly — long striped prickles on the back which contain a poison and work much like a doctor's syringe, injecting the fluid.

When the fish wants to swim very fast, the two veils near the head are folded as fans are, and sometimes also when he sits still, clinging to the coral or rock. Only when swimming at leisure are they spread fully, and it is then that the full beauty of the animal is seen. *P.A.*

Lisbon Regime Musters Every Effort to Hold on to African Colony

LIFELINE — ANGOLA

By RICHARD S. MOWRER
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

LISBON. — PORTUGAL is hanging on to Angola as if her life depended on it. It does.

Such, at least, is the conviction prevailing here. Dr. Antonio de Oliveira Salazar, 72, Portugal's "strong man" who has ruled the country with an iron hand for 29 consecutive years, has it. So, it seems, do many Portuguese. There is no question of promising Angola independence, eventually or ever.

What about the example of Britain and France, of Belgium and the Netherlands? They have relinquished, more or less voluntarily, the bulk of their colonial holdings and appear little the worse for it. In some ways they are better off. But little Portugal, whose overseas territories add up to an area 23 times the size of the homeland, has no intention of following suit.

What is true of Britain, France, Belgium and Holland is not applicable to Portugal, it is explained here. Those countries are highly industrialized and economically self-supporting. Portugal is not. For Portugal the loss of her overseas possessions, particularly Angola, would be an economic disaster leading to political turmoil, revolutions, misery on a national scale.

The fact is that Portugal's economic well-being derives from Angola. Portugal proper has a chronic deficit in trade. She depends on Angola and the other overseas possessions to make up the difference. They do, and more. Portugal's average deficit runs to $87m. annually. This is compensated by a $90m. surplus from earnings by the overseas territories.

Angola is Portugal's biggest earner of foreign exchange, the main source of the balance of payments surplus which enables this country to have one of the hardest currencies in the world.

In addition, Angola and the other overseas territories are secure markets for Portuguese exports. One-quarter in value of Portugal's export trade is to Angola and Mozambique.

Faces Destitution

Were Angola to be detached completely from this country Portugal would lose her chief source of foreign exchange and a vital market for her products. Her trade balance would tilt heavily to chronic deficit, her money would no longer be the sound currency it is today, extensive investments in the territory would presumably be lost.

These considerations go a long way towards explaining why Portugal won't let go in Angola, why Salazar insists that Angola "is part of the land of Portugal," why 27,000 troops (with more to follow) have been despatched to suppress the six-months-old native rebellion, why the word "independence" is never mentioned here.

Angola, in size 14 times bigger than Portugal, was discovered by the Portuguese in 1482, 10 years before Christopher Columbus first set foot in America. It has a population of 4½ millions of which 150,000 are white settlers. Like the other overseas territories it has had the status of "provinces" of Portugal since 1952.

The Portuguese, with Dr. Salazar in the lead, invoke a "sense of mission" to justify this country's current policy in Africa. In a major speech last June Salazar said:

"We consider that it is our duty to civilize other peoples." Any other policy than the present one would subject Angola "to the risk of being lost not only to us but to civilization."

But worldwide criticism has had to be countered. This is one reason why Africans in Angola and in the other Portuguese territories of Africa have now been made full citizens of Portugal. They will have the same civic rights as the Portuguese whites. They will have political equality with them, be subject to the same laws.

These are the latest of a series of reforms formulated by the Portuguese government in the hope of countering the tide of nationalism in Angola, winning the approval of Portugal's allies and softening criticism of Portugal at the United Nations.

No Self-Rule

However, the reforms do not contain the slightest suggestion of eventual independence for Angola or the other overseas "provinces" of Portugal. While political discrimination against the Africans is juridically abolished, the fact that they are now to be full citizens of Portugal with the same rights — and obligations — as the Portuguese amounts to binding this country's African possessions more closely than ever to the Mother Country.

The conferring of full Portuguese citizenship on the native populations implies their complete integration into the Portuguese nation, rather than a loosening of the bonds that have tied them to it for nearly 500 years.

White Emigration

Tighter ties are implied, furthermore, by the government's announced intention to set up white emigration to Angola and Mozambique. In the words of the Minister for Overseas Affairs, Dr. Adriano Moreira:

"We believe it necessary to increase the settlement of our Africa by European Portuguese who will make their homes there and find in Africa a true continuation of their country."

Resettlement is designed to relieve the population pressure here and diminish the whites' numerical inferiority in Angola—250,000 whites and mulattoes in the midst of a native population of 1,500,000. It is hoped that many Portuguese soldiers now fighting in Angola may be induced to settle there.

Portuguese policy in Africa has been not to differentiate between natives and whites on the basis of colour, on the theory that multi-racial integration is desirable for peaceful coexistence. But in effect a "culture bar" separates the great bulk of the native populations from the whites.

Hitherto, through the "assimilado" system, natives could attain the privileged status of "assimilated," that is, equality with the Portuguese whites, by meeting certain educational, economic and cultural standards. However, fewer than one per cent of Angola's black population have crossed the barrier from "uncivilized" to "civilized." Constitutional changes will now abolish this system.

Other reforms decreed in recent months give the native populations a better deal. For example:

- Natives were forced to grow specified crops. They were given a plot of land, told what to grow on it, forced to sell their harvest to middlemen who bought the crops (cotton, sugar, coffee) below the world market price and sold them at a high profit in Portugal. The ending of this practice means that growers will get higher prices for their crops and that they will be allowed to grow what they want to grow. It is estimated that in Mozambique alone the native growers will benefit to the amount of $3m. a year.
- The "contract labour" system is abolished. Natives have been required to work for the state, at below normal wages, for a certain number of months during the year.
- Natives will be allowed a bit more say in municipal government. A new decree provides that communities with more than 500 registered voters may participate in the election of a municipal council. However, the number of communities in Angola with more than 500 registered voters is rather small: no one can vote unless he can read and write Portuguese and pays an annual income tax of at least $7. This requirement applies in Portugal as well. As 99 per cent of the native population of Angola is illiterate, a crash programme of elementary schooling will have to be undertaken if this reform is to mean anything.

While some of Portugal's new reforms are certainly commendable, it is far from certain that they will meet with the unqualified approval of the native populations in Portuguese Africa.

Up to now many black communities in Angola and Mozambique have been subject only to tribal laws and customs. Now that they are to be Portuguese citizens they will gain new rights but lose others, such as the right to have more than one wife, a status symbol of affluence they will be reluctant to relinquish.

MUSICAL DIARY

The First International Music Festival. Rudolf Serkin, piano; Members of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Alexander Schneider (Binyanei Ha'ooma Concert Hall, Jerusalem, September 9). All-Mozart Programme: March in D, K. 335; Piano Concerto in A, K. 414; six Dances, K. 571; Prelude and Fugue in F minor for Strings, K. 404 a (Bach) Piano Concerto in D minor, K. 466.

THE Festival reached an exciting new high with the appearance of Rudolf Serkin as soloist in two Mozart concerti. Mr. Serkin stood for continental tradition at its best, with his delicate but never colourless tone, his sense of form, his many-shaded dynamics and the beautifully graded building-up of phrases into sentences. The performance was the height of maturity, the artist achieving complete and ideal identification with his work. It was an enchanting feast of relaxed enjoyment for everyone.

The orchestra seemed inspired too: the march and the Six Dances were played with fresh sound and active cooperation. Belonging to Mozart's lesser-known works, they are full of humour, wit and sparkling inspiration brought out to the full by conductor Alexander Schneider.

K.404a of the catalogue listing Mozart's complete works contains some preludes he wrote to fugues by J.S. Bach (and not by W.F. Bach, one of his sons). This could have been omitted, for it formed the only weak link in an otherwise beautiful and elating concert.

YOHANAN BOEHM

Abroad

The Manhattan School of Music, New York, awarded master's degrees to two Israelis at its recent graduation ceremony. Raphael Adler, who is remembered here for his conducting of youth movement choirs in Jerusalem, left here in 1953 and he is now the founder-conductor of the Adler Chorale, a double quartet of soloists that has presented many concerts in the last two years. He is also music director of the Huntington, L.I., Baroque Ensemble and the Huntington Opera Company. He received a degree in musicology, though he has dedicated himself increasingly to conducting. He studies with and assists Hugh Ross and Jonel Perles.

The other degree went to Michael Rudiakov, the cellist son of the well-known Tel Aviv pianist, Eliyahu Rudiakov. He also won a Harold Bauer Award for "unusual ability and contribution to the general life of the school." Rudiakov has studied since 1956 with Bernard Greenhouse, the excellent cellist of the Beaux Arts Trio, and has many appearances in chamber music ensembles and orchestras to his credit.

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Hanoch Greenfeld, the pianist from Jerusalem who is living in New York, won praise from New York critics after his second Town Hall recital recently.

Readers' Letters

MR. SHARETT'S POSITION

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — The reproduction in your last Friday's issue of the report which appeared in "Yediot Aharonot," of what I had said at Beit Berl on Wednesday was not a particularly accurate rendering of the "Yediot Aharonot" version which in itself was in certain parts inaccurate.

I never said that "if the reasons for this state of affairs were not diagnosed while there was still time, there would be no alternative but to hold a post mortem," or anything of the kind, and the mere fact that these words were put in quotation marks does not invest them with the virtue of authenticity.

Nor did I "oppose" my party's claim for a majority of seats in the next cabinet. On the contrary, I expressly said that I wholeheartedly endorse that claim, but I did express the warning that my party should beware of letting itself be manoeuvred into a position where it might be possible because of that claim to saddle it with responsibility for the non-formation of a new Government and the indefinite continuation of the present anomalous situation.

This is a far cry from your headline which said "Sharett opposes..." etc.,

Yours, etc.,
MOSHE SHARETT
Jerusalem, September 9.

BIBLICAL CORVÉE

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — With all due respect to Dr. E. W. Klimowsky's undoubtedly expert knowledge of modern taxation, he seems (if he has been correctly quoted in your issue of today) to have been led astray by an imperfect appreciation of the exact technical meaning of ancient terminology as well as precise historical circumstances.

The word *mas* may mean "tax" in the Bible (especially in post-exilic usage) and it is used thus exclusively in our modern idiom; but in the days of the United Monarchy, as well as the divided twin kingdoms of Judah and Ephraim, it was used, almost exclusively, for what is elsewhere (Josh. 16:10) termed more specifically *mas oved*, i.e. *corvée* (forced labour).

Hadoram was not Finance Minister but Minister of Forced Labour (corvée) both under David and Solomon, as well as at the beginning of Rehoboam's reign. The enforcement of *corvée*, which was started apparently in the last years of David, became rather a heavy burden early in Solomon's reign (comprising a third of the year; cf. I Kings 5:27-28; that's what Hadoram-Adoniram organized). The grumbling finally turned into an open revolt led by Jeroboam during the reign of Solomon (I Kings 11:26-28). The revolt was crushed and Jeroboam had to flee for dear life to Egypt. Solomon, however, was astute enough to understand that concessions were the order of the day. Thenceforward, only the remnants of the pre-Israelite population were to be subjected to *corvée*, while the Israelites could only be enrolled for civil service and army commands (I Kings 9:20-23).

It was this concession that brought about the rupture between Rehoboam and his northern subjects. The latter clamoured for the formal validation of the concession won from Solomon, and possibly also for further alleviations. Rehoboam refused. Jeroboam, too, returned from Egypt to face the flame of discontent, and so the rupture became final. Rehoboam, very injudiciously, sent Hadoram, the hated Minister of *Corvée*, to enforce order; the result was disastrous.

Yours, etc.
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Kiryat Gat, August 29.

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